Distribution of Cotton yarn through Public Distribution System

1226. SHRI PRAGADA KOTAIAH: Will the Minister of CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether representations have been received requesting Government for distribution of cotton yarn at stabilised and reasonable rates just as certain other commodities are included in the list of essential commodities and distributed through Public Distribution System; and

(b) if so, the action taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY Ot COMMERCE (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Distribution of cotton yarn through the Public Distribution System is not considered feasible and necessary in the absence of dual pricing policy for hank yarn.

Allotment of rice, wheat and sugar to Kerala

1227. SHRI M. A. BABY: Will the Minister of CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state what is the total allotment of rice, wheat and sugar during the last one year with monthly break-up for the State of Kerala and the actual quantity lifted against the monthly allotment?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED): A statement showing allocation and lifting of rice, wheat and sugar during 1993 in respect of Kerala is enclosed.

Statement

Month-wise Allocation & Lifting of Wheat, Rice and Sugar to Kerala for 1993 *distributed through PDS*

Month	Wheat		Rice		Sugar	
	Allocation	Lifting	Allocation	Lifting	Allocation	Lifting
January, 93 . .	25.00	18.90	150.00	127.00	12.55	*
February, 93 . .	25.00	15.30	150.00	131.10	12.55	*
March, 93 . .	25.00	19.40	150.00	148.40	12.55	*
April, 93 . . .	25.00	22.70	150.00	145.10	12.55	*
May, 93 . . .	25.00	16.00	150.00	129.70	12.55	*
June, 93 . . .	25.00	26.80	150.00	129.70	12 55	*
July, 93 . . .	25.00	23.30	150.00	155.00	16.15	*
August, 93 . .	40.00	16.80	175.00	172.70	12.55	*
September, 93 . .	30.00	42.60	150.00	120.00	12.55	*
October, 93 . .	30.00	32.60	150.00	143.50	12.55	*
Novmber, 93 . .	30.00		150.00		12.55	@
December, 93 . .	30.00		150.00		12.55	@
TOTAL . .	335.00		234.4	1825.00	1402.20	154.2

*Lifting is almost 100%.

@Lifting figures are available till October, 1993.